

Oroville. **OROVILLE CHINESE TEMPLE**, 1500 Broderick St., 1860's; 1968, Philip Choy, architect. Three-building Chinese temple-museum complex; includes the simple 1-story brick Main Temple (1863), the 2-story Council Room and Moon Temple (1868-1870), and Tapestry Hall (1968); also included are the courtyard, fence, gardens, and small outbuildings added, 1968. Presents interesting combination of Western architectural elements and Chinese decorative elements. Built by Oroville's Chinese population with funds donated by Emperor Quong She of the Ching Dynasty in celebration of his 29th reigning year; council room and moon temple built to accommodate growing Chinese population; tapestry room built to house Chinese tapestries and temple artifacts; functions as museum, community center, and place of worship for followers of Taoism, Confucianism, and Buddhism. *Municipal*.